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## FROM FOREIGN SHORES

Three Days Later News by the  
U. S. S. Adams.

## CUBAN REBELS UNITE FORCES.

General Weyler Planning to Rule with an Iron Hand—Watching Filibusters—Fitzsimmons - Maher Flasco. Troubles in Corea—War Clouds.

## NEW YORK, Feb. 16—The Her-

ald's Havana special says: Word comes from San Antonio de los Baños that the insurgent forces of Gomez and Maceo reunited yesterday beyond Seiba de Aguilar, near the Pinar del Rio border. The rebel chiefs held a council of war and appointed Jose Maria Aguirre in immediate command of revolutionary forces operating in Havana province, while that of Bermudes in Pinar del Rio was confirmed. Roleff is in temporary command of operations around Matanzas. Capote, with 1200 cavalry reinforcements from eastern Cuba, has just joined Gomez.

General Weyler spoke only the truth when he admitted yesterday that he found affairs in Cuba from a military point of view considerably disorganized.

dict of the Senate with the Chamber had assumed such a character that the resignation of the Ministry would not solve the crisis. The Cabinet had therefore decided to await the further expression of the Chamber, the Ministers agreeing that they can no more yield to the Senate than they can disregard the confidence of the Chamber. A dispatch to the London Post says: The real origin of the crisis is the determination of the Senate to overthrow the Radical Ministry or to die in the attempt.

The Paris correspondent of the Times telegraphs as follows to that paper: The Cabinet has sounded a clear note. If it succeeds it is nothing more or less than a coup d'etat. If it fails it is an act of violence to no good end. The setting aside of the vote of the Senate virtually upsets the Constitution. If the Senate stands firm there are only two alternatives—the resignation of the Ministers or the expulsion of the Senate by a mob. The latter would mean the superseding of the Constitution by a revolutionary convention.

The Chamber of Deputies, which reassembles on Thursday after a Cabinet council on Tuesday, may, however, recoil from a second vote, which might prove disastrous. The situation is the most delicate we have seen in thirty-five years.

## RUSSIA'S POWER FELT.

Troubles in Corea Said to be Significant.

Naval Activity by Japanese—Russia and the Sultan Confering.

NEW YORK, February 17.—The World's Tokio special says: There



GENERAL MAXIMIO GOMEZ.

When Captain-General Weyler takes the field he will be without the services of several of his lieutenants most conspicuous during active operations. General Luque goes to Spain. General Canella also goes to Spain, because he and General Weyler are not good friends. General Garcia Navarro is on the sick list and Cornell is reported as having been severely wounded in the recent engagement in the Vuelta Abajo district. General Weyler has issued strict orders regarding passports required by people traveling through the country. Friends of the rebels say that Weyler is having the prisoners in Mono castle shot down. They claim they can hear the shooting every day. A detective agent has been sent to Tampa, Fla., to look after filibustering expeditions.

## FRENCH CABINET CRISIS.

Ministers Ignore the Vote of the Senate.

The Situation Decidedly Delicate. Effort to Overthrow the Radical Ministry.

PARIS, February 16.—The Cabinet has decided to ignore the vote taken in the Senate yesterday, which was a repudiation of a vote of that body on February 11th, deprecating the irregularities disclosed in connection with the Southern Railway scandal, and demanding a searching inquiry. The newspapers here express the belief that no issue from the Cabinet crisis is possible except through the resignation of M. Ricard, Minister of Justice.

According to a semi-official statement, Bourgeois, the Premier, had an interview with President Faure on Sunday and explained that the con-

is great activity among all naval forces. The Japanese government is confident that Russia is encouraging the revolt in Corea with a view to the early establishment of a Russian protectorate over the kingdom. The seat of the Corean government is now in the Russian legation at Seoul, where the king remains guarded. It is believed that the king of Corea authorized the outbreak, in revenge for the murder of the queen.

The Emperor of Japan suspended the sitting of the Parliament for ten days in the midst of opposition attacks on Premier Ito's ministry.

## Confirmed at Washington.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Secretary Herbert today received a cablegram from Admiral McNeill, commanding the Asiatic station, confirming the newspaper reports of the renewed disturbances in Corea. The cablegram was sent from Nagasaki, Japan, and is in the following words: "Telegraphic information has been received from the commander of the Machias, via Chefoo, China, as follows: 'There is much excitement in Seoul, Corea. The king has gone to the Russian legation and ordered the arrest of the Corean cabinet. A guard has gone to Seoul. The telegraph wires have been cut. Two men have been killed.'"

At the Corean legation it was said there had been no advice received, and the only information is that obtainable from the newspapers.

## Russo-Turkish Alliance.

CONSTANTINOPLE, February 17.—After inviting the powers to recognize Prince Ferdinand of Bulgaria, the Porte, at Russia's request, sent a second circular asking the powers to defer their decision until after Prince Boris had been baptized. This is held to furnish proof of the Russo-Turkish entente.

## A SHIPWRECKED CREW.

The Mattie E. Dyer Lost February 22d.

## WRECKED ON FRENCH FRIGATE.

Twenty-three Men and all Saved. Two Boats Out Four Days—One Seven and One Eight—Not a Drop of Water to Drink.

## The Inter-Island steamer Ke Au

Hou arrived from Kauai yesterday morning with Captain Mookler and crew, numbering in all twenty-three men, of the sealing schooner Mattie E. Dyer, wrecked on French Frigate

two dozen tins of assorted pie fruits. These were placed in one of the small boats and taken to one of the largest of the sand islands in the group of fourteen located inside of the coral reef.

They were directed to this island by the presence of the flagstaff erected by Captain King at the time the island was annexed to the Hawaiian group.

The men spent about six hours on the island digging for water, but none was found suitable for drinking purposes. The wind being fair, and as nothing could be gained by remaining on an island where there was neither food or water, the captain divided his canned fruit, allowing six tins to each boat. The orders were given to push out and try and reach Niihau. Three of the boats had nautical instruments of some kind, while the fourth had nothing and was taken in tow by one of the others.

Six or eight hours were spent in an effort to get through the surf, but before it was accomplished the men were drenched by the spray. Those who were without oilskins suffered considerably in one respect, while in another the captain attributes their not suffering from thirst to the fact that they were wet from the time they left the wreck until they reached Niihau.



Shoals at 3.30 o'clock on the morning of February 22.

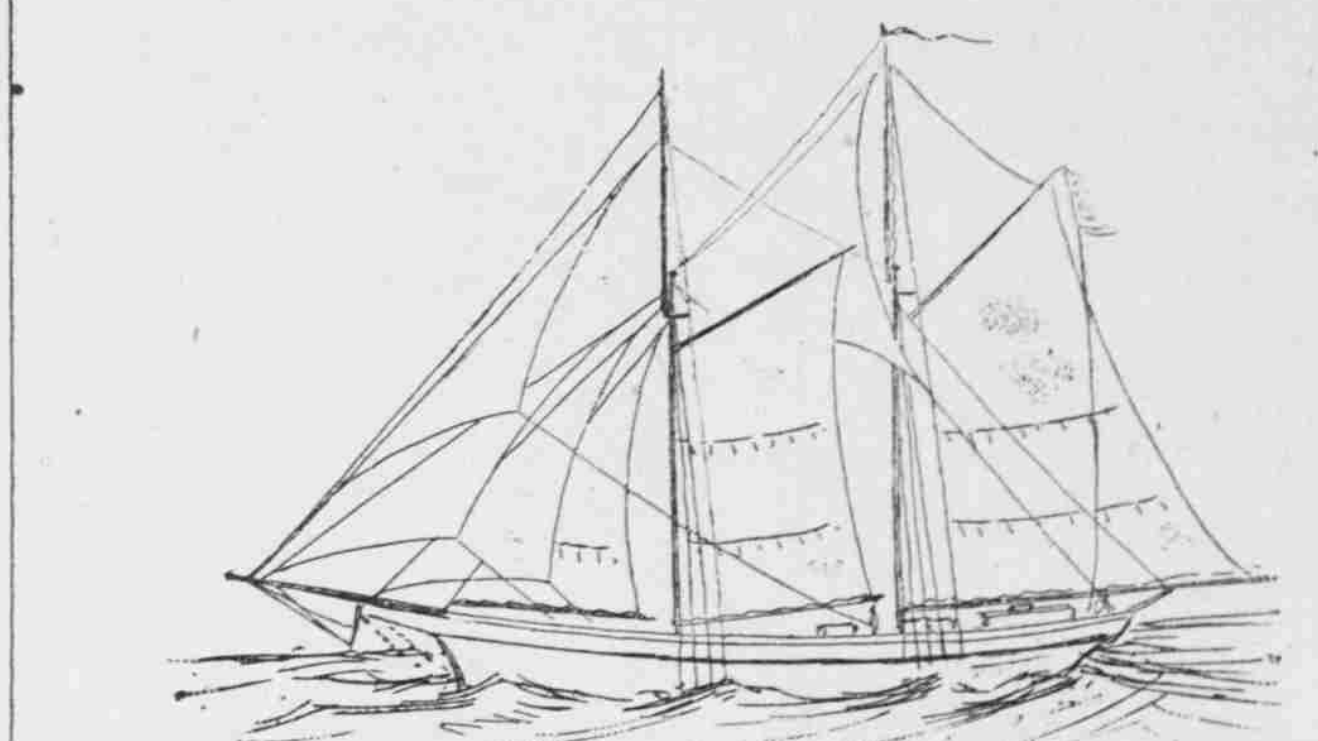
According to the captain, the wreck was due to south-west currents. At the time of the accident the vessel was steering a true S.W. course and the wind was blowing to the westward, and he believed, was at least eighty miles to the westward. The wind had been S.W. and W. for ten days.

Directly the look-out heard the surf breaking he was called by one of the men and was on deck when the vessel struck. In less than ten minutes she was full of water and had keeled over on her side.

The orders to fill a boat with water

The boats manned by the captain and mate, and having six men in each, came up on the beach at Niihau, in almost the same place, four days and four hours after leaving the shoals. The third boat, commanded by the hunter, arrived three days later and only twelve miles from where the first two boats landed.

In the meantime the captain and crews of the other boats had been looked after by the natives, and Mr. Moore, a white man, had been taking care of them. Directly the men got ashore, and three of the sailors had to be carried, the natives gave them food and clothing. Captain Mookler was without shoes and was given a pair by a native, and others gave the men whatever they could supply them with. Mr. Moore was notified and as



SEALING SCHOONER MATTIE E. DYER, WRECKED FEBRUARY 22 FRENCH FRIGATE SHOALS. (From a sketch by John Neilson.)

and provisions was given and she was swung over the side, only to be smashed by the surf. Two others were lowered with the same result. The only thing saved was one case of

quickly as possible killed a sheep and gave them an unlimited supply of potatoes. These were cooked for the wrecked men by the natives.

After the third boat came in communication was had with Kauai, and

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